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Mr. William Marshall, of the University of Michigan, will spend the coming year in study abroad.

Professor G. A. Miller has been called to an associate professorship of mathematics at the University of Illinois.

Professor E. L. Richards, of Yale University, will retire from active service at the close of the present academic year.

Mr. Clarence M. Thorne has resigned his instructorship in the State University of Iowa. The position will be filled by appointment in June.

The current *Bookman* contains a contribution by Professor C. J. Keyser, of Columbia University, entitled "Concerning Research in American Universities."

Dr. Saul Epsteen, formerly instructor, has been promoted to an assistant professorship in mathematics in the University of Colorado, being now second in rank to the head of the department.

Professor Oskar Bolza, of the University of Chicago, who is spending the year in travel and study in Central Europe and Egypt, will resume his lectures at the university at the beginning of the summer quarter, June 19, 1906.

Dr. Samuel Hart Wright (M. A., M. D., Ph. D.), a versatile scholar in many fields, died at his home in Penn Yan, N. Y., on October 7, 1905, at the age of eighty years. Dr. Wright is known to the scientific world through the publication in 1848-50 of his astronomical tables, and for his studies in botany and geology. He had been a reader the MONTHLY since it was founded in 1894.

ERRATUM.

On page 85, Vol. XIII, No. 4, the term involving B_3 should have been extended as .000,000,276 instead of .000,000,009, and the final value of the integral should read 1.657,636,257 instead of 1.657,636,524.